

GREAT BATTLE IS IN PROGRESS

St. Petersburg Reports Conflict with Other
News Received From Seat of War.

CLEVER MANEUVERING APPROVED

Russian General Claimed To Have Been Victorious by
the Czar's Special Couriers--Others Give
Japs a Victory.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
London, June 29.—Defeated in three battles among the mountains east of Liao Yang, with his retreat likely to be cut off, General Kuroki is retreating rapidly to the north, according to reports from St. Petersburg and the far east.
This move was ordered by the general staff at St. Petersburg, according to a report current in the Russian capital, because it was feared the entire Manchurian army was rapidly becoming hopelessly entangled in the meshes of Japanese strategy.
It is thought extremely doubtful whether Kuroki will be able to retreat beyond Liao Yang without sacrificing great numbers of his men. The soldiers under Strackeburg and Sakharoff are being abandoned to their fate and must fight their way through the Japanese lines converging upon them.
The Japanese now holding Motienling, Fengchoulin and Tallen passes, in the mountains, having driven the Russians back, and there is nothing between them and Liao Yang now but a small force of the czar's men. The losses in these battles have not been given.

Still Retreat
Shan-Hai-Kwan, June 29.—Victory is still with the Japanese. They have beaten the Russian army at every point where the conflicting forces have come in contact and the czar's veteran troops are in full retreat to the north.
The movement against General Oku has not been successful, except that some of the troops of General Stachelsberg have been enabled to join the main army.

According to well authenticated reports, the Japanese have reached a point within five miles of Ta-Schi-Kiao, driving the Russians back with heavy loss. They also are within a few miles of Hai-Cheng and are steadily advancing on both points.
The flank movement executed by General Kuroki's right wing on Liao Yang, however, is the cause of General Kuroki's hasty retreat. The Japanese, taking advantage of the withdrawal of the troops for the move against General Oku and Nodzu, moved forward in force and have forced the Russians back from all the mountain passes to the south and east of Liao Yang and are now moving 50,000 strong on the Russian base.

It is doubted here if General Kuroki can stand under the circumstances get a sufficient force to Liao Yang in time to prevent its capture and the cutting off of all the troops to the south.
In the fighting on the Liao Yang peninsula the Russian losses have been very heavy and train load after train load of wounded has been sent back to Mukden and Harbin.

Very Gloomy
London, June 29.—A correspondent sends from Tien Tsin the following translation of a private letter from an officer high in command under General Kuroki to a brother officer giving a gloomy view of the situation for Russia:

"It is a shame to see officers constantly quarrelling, dividing into cliques and fighting for their own interests, until Japan, the common enemy, is forgotten," the writer says. "Every one, from the viceroy and Kuroki to insignificant subalterns, is quarrelling and unwilling to obey orders. In the eyes of the correspondents and foreign attaches we are disgraced. Until the whole system is changed we cannot hope for victory."

Correspondents Die
London, June 29.—H. J. Middleton, correspondent with the Russian headquarters near Liao Yang in Manchuria, died Sunday from enteric dysentery. It is reported that Edward F. Knight, the correspondent of the London Morning Post with the Japanese army, was killed at Wafang-tien.

Are Outside
Che Foo, June 29.—The Russian fleet emerged from Port Arthur today and remained outside sometime, fighting at the port continues on the land side, while frequent attacks are made on the harbor by the Jap ships, properly closing the man-hole.

Capture Forts
Tokio, June 29.—It is reported a force of Japanese have captured three forts to the southeast of the Port Arthur defenses on Sunday last.

Sailors Drown
St. Petersburg, June 29.—While experimenting with a converted torpedo boat which was intended for a submarine, twenty-two sailors drowned.

James Clemo's partner, at work in the Hartford mine at Negaunee, Mich., was overcome by smoke on Monday, and Clemo was apoplectic in attempting to make a rescue, while the other was saved.

ed today at the Baltic orks. Four officers and thirty men were on board when the signal was given to submerge the boat without first Great Battle is in Progress

St. Petersburg, June 29.—A report is current that a great battle is proceeding, Gen. Kuroki personally commanding the Russian forces engaged.

Gen. Kuroki, it is said, detached several of his brigades and sent them northward in an attempt to descend on Hai-Cheng, but Gen. Keller has driven Gen. Kuroki's rear to the sea south of Fengwangcheng with great loss on both sides.

It is also reported there has been a battle at Tomucheng in which the Russians were victorious.

Take Mountain Passes.
London, June 29.—The Japanese have taken three mountain passes from Kourapatkin with a loss of about 100 men where it took them twenty-seven days to dislodge the Chinese in the Chinese war.

Kourapatkin has notified the czar that his troops retreated before superior numbers and in good order. The report sounds much like the first reports following the battle of the Yalu. The Japanese, on the other hand, have sent in a few words to the government at Tokio saying passes have been taken and implying that a part of the prearranged plan has been carried out as was intended.

Kourapatkin Guards His Flank.
A Tokio correspondent referring to indications of an impending great battle in the neighborhood of Tashchikiao, says:

"Gen. Kourapatkin is massing five or six divisions there for the purpose of protecting his left rear against the Japanese army from Takushan, which threatens Tomucheng, eighteen miles southeast of Hai-Cheng. He will also push forward 20,000 troops in the direction of Kaijing. Thus, altogether the troops in this neighborhood are believed to number nearly 100,000."

"Meanwhile the Japanese Liaoting and Takushan armies have established touch with each other, and Gen. Kuroki's army probably will soon do likewise."

Battle of Fen Shui Pass.
Hai-Cheng, June 29.—The total losses in the Dailin hill (Fen Shui pass) fight are not yet known. Eighty wounded have arrived here, and on Sunday last a hospital train with 200 passed, going to Liaoyang.

The fighting lasted the whole of June 25 and 27, and the Japanese successively pushed the Russians from three mountain positions, occupying them with artillery as the defenders retreated.

Wounded Russians, recounting the two days' fight, say that the Japanese again demonstrated their reliance on their artillery, and that they were greatly superior, both in number of men and in guns. On the second day of the fight they brought up a heavy battery, which effected the lighter Russian guns and caused severe loss. The Japanese artillery practice, however, was inaccurate, and, as is usual, they several times shelled empty positions or shot over the Russian columns.

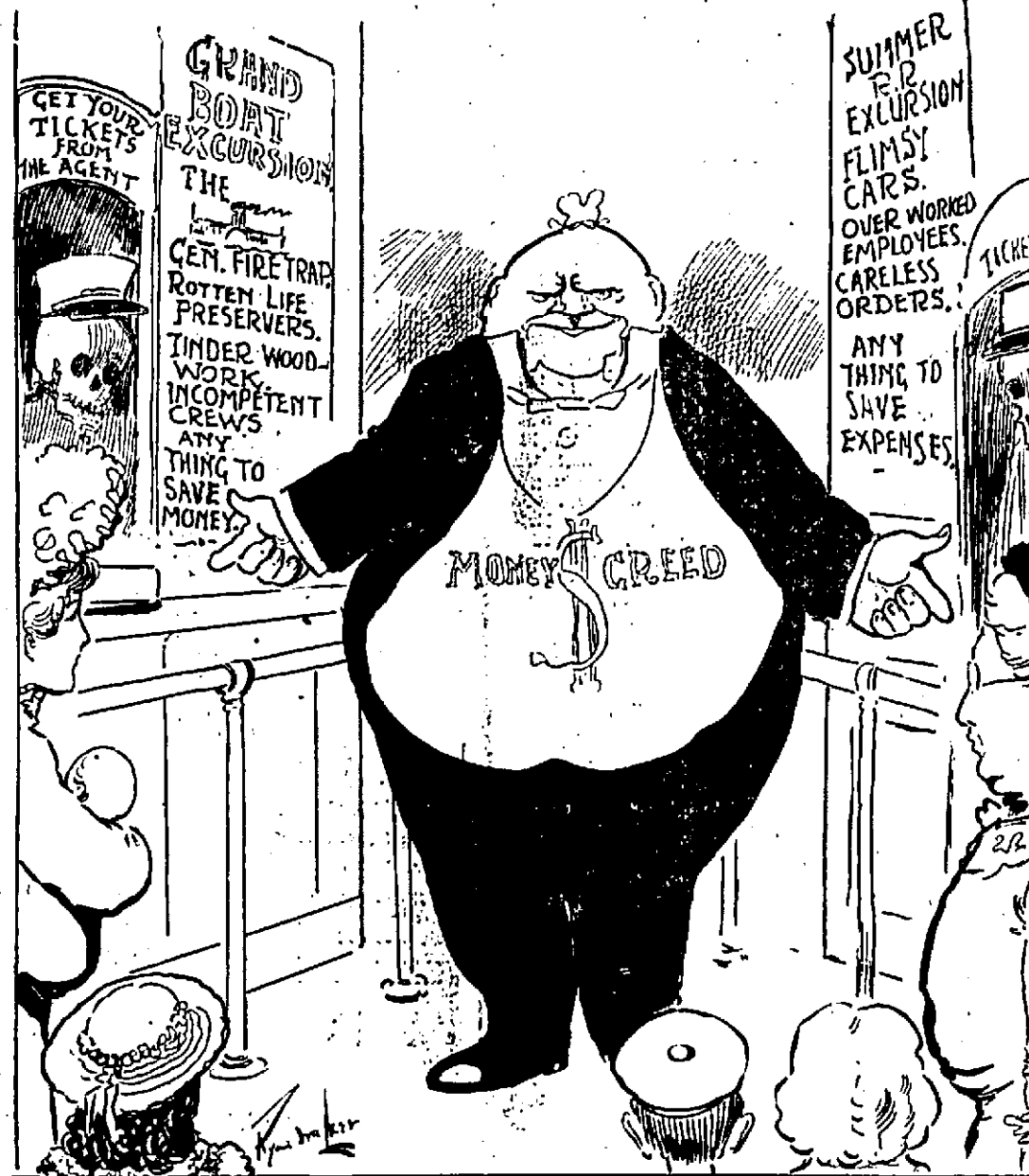
Outflank the Russians.
The fight started at dawn, ten miles southwest of Dailin hill. A Russian rifle brigade held the position until noon. In the face of a heavy artillery fire, but the Russians were finally outflanked by infantry and cavalry, the Japanese actually getting a field battery in the rear of the Russian position. Then the brigade fell back.

The Japanese worked furiously all night long, and replaced two batteries on the vacated Russian position.

The fighting was resumed at 3 a. m. on June 27. The Russians silenced the two Japanese batteries, but the Japanese brought up a train of big guns and silenced the lighter Russian artillery, which was again running out of ammunition, and the Russians were once more forced to retire. The Japanese cavalry and infantry, threatening to surround the Russian position, forced a general retreat.

The Russians carried off all their guns, and got revenge on the Japanese cavalry column, which was caught in close formation and was shelled with terrific effect, being forced to scatter.

John J. Pettijohn, the Racine county superintendent of schools, has resigned and will enter a business. Prof. G. Z. Zimmermann, principal of the Union Grove high school, fills the vacancy.



THE TICKET TAKER—PAY YOUR MONEY—TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

FRENCH POLICE GIVE UP SEARCH

Kent Loomis Is Not Found, and No
Trace Can Be Discovered
of Him.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
Paris, June 29.—The French authorities have abandoned the search for F. Kent Loomis, having become convinced he disappeared from the Kaiser Wilhelm II. before it reached Cherbourg.

NEWS OF THE STATE IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Bessie Eppler Thomas of Kenosha was granted a divorce in Racine on Monday.

William Nugent, a Chicago whiskey salesman, suffered a paralytic stroke at La Crosse on Tuesday, and his condition is regarded as serious. Milwaukee parties have been at Union Grove to buy the Ashby property and build a new hotel in place of the one destroyed by fire.

E. S. Streeter, who left Milwaukee last March after conducting an extensive lumber business for years, is now in Seattle, Wash., looking into the lumber situation.

While driving in Menomonee, Mrs. Mary Brown of Downsville, wife of a prosperous farmer, fell from a buggy and broke her neck, dying instantly. The buggy was tipped into a ditch.

Mrs. John Cavanagh and two children—Esther, aged 6 years, and E. J., aged 2 years—at Kenosha, ate rat poison which the younger child found and gave to the sister and mother. Doctors state that they are out of danger.

THREE CROOKS IN JAIL ESCAPED

Men Who Probably Worked Jamesville
Circus Day, Escapes From
Madison Jail.

(Special to The Gazette.)
Madison, Wis., June 29.—Three crooks, George Sterlin, Joseph Norton and William Johnson, the former a pickpocket apprehended at Ringling Bros., circus and the latter self-confessed burglars awaiting sentence in the criminal court of this city, broke jail early yesterday morning by sawing the bars of their cage and the outer windows and made good their escape. Great local indignation is felt against the methods of Sheriff McHenry whose methods of treating prisoners with privileges of the corridors is blamed for the escape and this is accelerated by reason of the recent escape of Pat Flaherty, a United States prisoner charged with the robbery of the Superior postoffice October last.

FALL NINETY FEET TO DEATH

Two Miners Are Killed While Engaged in Sinking New Shaft.

Springfield, Ill., June 29.—Benjamin Rhodes and Wilson Reed, contractors, were killed while engaged in sinking a new shaft for the Kirskeville Coal company, twelve miles from Shelbyville. The hook on the bucket in which they were being lowered into the shaft broke, letting them fall ninety feet. Rhodes leaves a wife and three children, while Reed was unmarried.

Do Away With Tickets.

St. Louis, Mo., June 29.—Coin-controlled turnstiles at the world's fair have been installed, obviating the necessity of tickets.

BLOODY WAR IS AGAIN IN PROGRESS

Civil War in Uruguay Gives Reports
of Many Hundreds
Killed.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
Buenos Ayres, June 29.—A correspondent at Bage, a Brazilian town near the Uruguayan frontier, reports that a courier sent by Gen. Saravia arrived there with a report of the battle at Tapumbac. Fighting began on Wednesday of last week and continued the following day. The government forces lost 600 killed and 800 wounded and the revolutionists 100 killed and 600 wounded. The revolutionists captured a big quantity of ammunition and armaments.

Another dispatch from Bage says the rear of the revolutionist forces, under Mariano Saravia, a brother of the chief revolutionist, defeated government troops under Gen. Remavece. The revolutionists occupy excellent positions. Gen. Bonaventura has resigned his command, having been criticised by the president after the battle because he had not supported Galarzas. In the battle at Tapumbac the aggregate number of killed and wounded is estimated at 2,000. There is no truth in the report that Col. Lemas, chief of staff of the revolutionists, was killed.

MURDERER LEAVES POSSE SEARCHING

St. Croix County Murderer Is Now
Thought to Have Given Searchers
the Slip.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
St. Paul, June 29.—It is believed the murderer of Sheriff Harris of St. Croix county, Wisconsin, has escaped, the posse pursuing him near Winona. The chase will probably be discontinued today.

TEMPERATURE IS MORE FAVORABLE TO CROPS

Heavy Frosts Do Considerable Damage
In the Extreme Northwest—Rain
Generally Needed in East.

Washington, June 29.—The weather bureau's weekly summary of crop conditions says:

"The temperature conditions during the week ended June 27 in the districts east of the Mississippi river were more favorable than in the preceding week, but were less so in the upper Missouri valley and in the Rocky mountain and North Pacific coast districts, where it was abnormally cold with heavy frosts more or less damaging in the eastern portions of Washington and Oregon and in Utah, Idaho and northern Arizona."

"Rain is generally needed in the lake region, Ohio valley and the Atlantic coast and east gulf states, although portions of those districts have received generous rains, while the states of the lower Missouri valley and portions of Minnesota and North Dakota have suffered from excessive moisture. On the Pacific coast the weather conditions have been more favorable in California, but Oregon and Washington have suffered considerably from drought and low temperatures."

Insurance adjusters claim that the Union Grove fire was of incendiary origin. An investigation will be made.

MILES' TALK IS VERY STRONG

Prohibitionists Are Holding Their
Great National Convention
Today.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
Indianapolis, June 29.—At ten-fifteen this morning the national prohibition convention was called to order by National Chairman Oliver W. Stewart in Tomlinson hall. Twelve hundred delegates were present. The hall was far from being filled. Rev. George W. Peck of Sandusky, Ohio, delivered the invocation. W. S. Doane delivered the address of welcome. He predicted the prohibition candidate would poll half a million votes in November. "Make it a million," shouted some; others screamed "Victory."

Gen. Miles' candidacy is the incident of overwhelming interest in the convention. Miles is openly opposed by many of the delegates who are not satisfied with his communication sent to John G. Woolley. They declare it ambiguous and does not commit Miles fully to the great principle of prohibition. At a conference of Miles men at mid-night it adopted resolutions pledging their support and a steering committee was appointed to push the Miles' boom. Professor Evans of Massachusetts is to present Miles' name to the convention.

HEAVY FIGHTING FOR THE ENGLISH

The Tibetans Make a Stand Against
the Advancing Posse of
British.

(Special by Scripps-McLae.)
Simla, June 29.—Heavy fighting occurred between the Tibetans and the British expedition. The Tibetans lost heavily. Capt. Granter of the British force is among those reported dead.

COMPOSER OF "DIXIE" DIES AT MOUNT VERNON

Dan Emmett, the Old-Time Minstrel,
Passes Away Suddenly in His
Ohio Birthplace.

Columbus, O., June 29.—Dan Emmett, old-time minstrel and composer of "Dixie," is dead.

A telephone message from Mount Vernon, O., announced his sudden death in that city. Emmett was about 86 years old. His last public appearance was made about four years ago, when he toured the States with a minstrel company.

Emmett was born in the town in which he died in 1815. As a boy he learned the printer's trade, but abandoned it to join the army. He became a member of Oscar Brown's circus company in 1835 and in 1842, with Frank Brown, William Whitlock and Richard Phelan, formed what was the first negro minstrel company, which made its first appearance at the old Chatham theater, New York. They were known as the Virginia minstrels and went from New York to Boston and later to England, where the three separated.

Monroe is insured free mail delivery at the close of the fiscal year. The opening of Hotel Okanuchee, at Okanuchee lake, will be Saturday night, July 2.

PREPARE PLAN FOR CAMPAIGN

Republican State Central Committee Decide
Many Important Questions at Meeting.

WILL LET NO GRASS GROW AT ALL

La Follette Men Are Handicapped by Absence of the
Support of the National Republican
Party.

(By Staff Correspondent.)
Milwaukee, Wis., June 29.—Campaign work is now organized. From now on the republican state central committee will go ahead with the perfecting of their victorious struggle against the democratic party and the discontented third party followers.

The meeting of the committee held yesterday afternoon at the Pfister was a gathering of men who realize the importance of their deliberations and the results which will follow. There was no haste nor was the opinion of one man so dominant that all the other individuals were but pieces of the machinery to merely sit and listen and vote as a matter of making the act seem unanimous. The first business of the session was the election of a secretary. Frank R. Bentley of Baraboo, a member of the committee from the third district, was chosen for this post and with Chairman Golden will handle the work of headquarters until next November. A finance committee was then appointed and the ways and means of raising the campaign fund was left to them to decide upon. This committee consists of E. H. Van Ostran, Antigo; F. X. Boden, Milwaukee; Spencer Haven, Hudson; and John R. Dennett, Port Washington.

Will Have Charge of Finances.
This committee will be in charge of the finances of the campaign and will solicit subscriptions from individual business men throughout Wisconsin. The issues in the campaign are of vital interest to the business men of the state, and the committee has been assured of their support. The finance committee was authorized to appoint such subcommittees as it may see fit.

Every feature of the coming campaign was discussed in detail, and the committee decided that it will be an effective and complete campaign. The best speakers, both of the state and of the nation, will appear on the program, and their work will be seconded by literature that will clarify all of the issues. The committee will be in charge of the campaign which the national party will make in the state, and the national party literature for Wisconsin will be issued by the state committee.

Decision Clarified Atmosphere.
"The campaign is on, and we have made every preparation for it," said Chairman Golden after the session. "From the reports which were made by the committeemen from every section of the state the decision of the Chicago convention has clarified the atmosphere and has brought many voters to us. The outlook is exceedingly good."

"The decision of the national convention has settled the question for most of the voters," said E. G. Nash.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRE.

Samuel M. Miles has been art critic of the Boston Globe thirty-two years.

Mumtaz-ul-Mulk, new Persian minister to the United States, is but 41 years old.

The deposition of King Otto of Bavaria because of insanity is looked for, possibly this year.

Lord Amphill will perform all vice royal functions during Lord Curzon's absence from India.

Miss Grace, daughter of Gov. Herrell, will christen the cruiser South Dakota at San Francisco late in July.

Japanese Minister Takahira and Russian Ambassador Cassini at Washington, are not such bad friends, in spite of the war.

The centenary of George Sand will be celebrated by the publication of two plays and some unfinished stories that have not been hitherto printed.

Daniel G. Reid of Richmond, Ind., and New York has been proposed for senator to succeed Senator Fairbanks. Ex-Senator Vest of Missouri last night at Joplin positively declined to have his name considered for delegate-at-large.

Missouri democrats will meet in Joplin today to elect thirty-six delegates to the national convention. They likely will instruct for Senator Cockrell for the presidential nomination.

Anti-Wolcott partisans obtained control of the republican state committee in Colorado yesterday and refused to elect a new chairman until the state convention meets in Denver, Sept. 14.

The fourth senatorial district contest for places on the democratic ticket was decided at Mount Vernon, Ill., yesterday in favor of the contestants, John Rapp and Thomas Tiptit, and against William C. Blair and G. B. Cox, nominees for the legislature.

Joseph Proskot, who claimed to have been kidnapped from Chicago and thrown into the Fond du Lac river from a box car, is believed to be insane.

Go to Washington

In fact so desperate has become the state of the governor's followers that another pilgrimage to Washington to seek aid from the president is contemplated. It is safe to predict that this will not be a blinding brigade but one of meekness. They want the president to keep his hands off Wisconsin and call off the great national speakers who will come into the state to plead the cause of republicanism. There is one question which is bothering the governor more than he cares to admit. This is the fact that if the supreme court decides against his ticket the names of the national electors might just as well be written upon wall paper for all the use they would be to the national republican party, even if they are elected. They will not represent republicanism but factionalism and as such it is doubtful if their votes would or could be counted for Roosevelt by the electoral college. This question is one that weakens the governor's cause more than anything else.

What to Do.
Just what to do is the question with the administration leaders. They can not expect to hold the whole number of delegates chosen as national electors. Two have signified that they will appear under the title of republican on the Cook ticket and it is probable that others will follow and the La Follette ticket will become a mere factional list of names whose election will mean merely the glorifying of the aspirations of one man, not a republican party.

UNRULY CROWDS SEEK TO ENTER LAND CLAIMS

Sheriff's Request for Militia to Keep
Order Denied by Gov. Mickey—
Cowboys at Broken Bow.

Omaha, Neb., June 29.—Nine millions of acres of government land in Nebraska were thrown open to homestead entry Tuesday under the provisions of the Kinkaid law, by which homesteaders may file upon 640 acres. At the United States land office in Nebraska many persons, a large percentage of women included, had gathered to secure choice sections. These crowds ranged from fifty at North Platte to 2,000 at Broken Bow, 2,000-000 acres being subject to entry at the latter named place.

Considerable strife was indulged in by prospective entrymen for first place in the lines, and at Broken Bow the authorities were at one time afraid they would be unable to handle the crowds. Sheriff Richardson telegraphed Gov. Mickey a request that the militia company at Broken Bow be ordered out to preserve order. The governor, after a telephone interview with United States Land Agent Reese, however, declined to order out the militia, but gave orders that the company be held in readiness for service. A number of deputy sheriffs were sworn in who prevented serious trouble.

Among the crowds at Broken Bow was a great number of cowboys. It is alleged, were on hand to file on sections now under fence by cattle barons.

Railroads carried a great number of persons to the land office at O'Neill, Alliance, Sidney and North Platte. At Norfolk nearly a thousand were in line. A recent withdrawal of land in the North Platte district for irrigation purposes lessened the crowd at that place. A greater part of the land subject to entry is fit only for grazing purposes and is sought by small ranchers.

MUCH BUSINESS IN SPRING BROOK

HUSTLING LITTLE FACTORY DISTRICT RUSHING WORK.

BUCH BUILDING BEING DONE

Track Laying, Building Factory and Improving the Athletic Park.

Spring Brook is one of the liveliest places in the city this present season, with the work of erecting the new Rock County sugar plant and the several other manufacturing industries making this one of the busiest places in the city at this season of the year. The large sand banks at the foot of South Main street are being cut away and the sand is being used by the Chicago & North-Western railroad company to ballast up the new spur track that the company is putting in to the sugar beet plant. The track will connect with the main track that runs to the Choate-Hollister furniture factory near the South Jackson street bridge. The track will be about a mile long and the work of hauling the sand is now going on, the sand is loaded into cars and drawn by a team of horses and dumped along the line where workmen are filling in the marshy ground. The work of erecting the co-oper shop and roofing the same has been completed and the masons are at present working on the pulp house which is two stories high and built of concrete hollow block and brick. The work on this building will be completed within a week. The large cement foundations for the beet sheds are being rapidly put up. These foundations stand about ten feet high and the sheds are situated between the railroad tracks that enter the grounds. The iron structural work on the main building is going up fast, and about half of this work and the work of placing some of the heavy machinery have been completed at the company's plant. The foundation of the main office has also been laid and the masons are now at work on the brick part of this structure. The work has been somewhat delayed early in the season, but the management of the company say everything will be in readiness for operation when the Rock county crop of sugar beets is ready to harvest.

Athletic Park. Work of improving the appearance of Athletic park has already commenced and workmen have the old grandstand torn down and the work of erecting the new structure will commence in a few days. This will be a great improvement to the grounds and to the baseball loving citizens of the city.

Potato Factory. From all appearances the Concentrated Potato Flake factory that was started in this city some time ago and established headquarters in the "Hedder" warehouse on Eastern avenue, has given up the manufacture of chipped potatoes. A visit to the company's plant revealed the fact that the office was closed and indications about the building would lead one to believe that business had been suspended there.

Choate-Hollister. This manufacturing industry is one of the best equipped and modern up-to-date factories to be found in the state of Wisconsin and is a concern which the citizens and the city of Janesville should feel proud of, and to have number among its best manufacturing industries. The factory makes a specialty of dining-room tables, and have the reputation of making some of the finest that are on the market today in the United States. The company employs in the neighborhood of seventy-five men, all mechanics, the year round, many of whom are skilled workmen of the highest order. The factory always has plenty of business and orders for new goods are received by every mail.

Hough Porch Shade. The Hough Porch Shade factory is doing a fine business this year and the indications are that this company, which has located in this city but a short time ago, will at some future time be numbered among the city's most prosperous manufacturing concerns.

Cement Post Factory. The Janesville Cement Post factory are not working their factory this season as they have made up a large supply of posts last winter and are supplying the demands of the farmers in this line with this one of the most useful of articles to be found in the market. The company have already sold thousands of these posts to farmers in Rock county and all are well satisfied that they have something that has long been needed in this line.

Elgin Butter Market. Elgin, Ill., June 27.—Butter advanced 1-4c on the board today and is quoted at 17 3/4c. The output for the district during the week was 993,600 pounds. Collier, of Chicago, purchased fifty tubs from Sonoma, fifty from Aurora, fifty from Harvard, and forty from Maple Park at 18c on the curb. Byron offered fifty, but refused to sell at 18c.

Real Estate Transfers. Sarah Alvin Erb et al to John A. Paul \$1500.00 lots 20 & 31 Morgan's Add West Milton.
Walter H. Smith to John A. Paul \$275.00 with a 1/2 of sec 1, & 1/2 of sec 2, & 1/2 of sec 3, & 1/2 of sec 4, & 1/2 of sec 5, & 1/2 of sec 6, & 1/2 of sec 7, & 1/2 of sec 8, & 1/2 of sec 9, & 1/2 of sec 10, & 1/2 of sec 11, & 1/2 of sec 12, & 1/2 of sec 13, & 1/2 of sec 14, & 1/2 of sec 15, & 1/2 of sec 16, & 1/2 of sec 17, & 1/2 of sec 18, & 1/2 of sec 19, & 1/2 of sec 20, & 1/2 of sec 21, & 1/2 of sec 22, & 1/2 of sec 23, & 1/2 of sec 24, & 1/2 of sec 25, & 1/2 of sec 26, & 1/2 of sec 27, & 1/2 of sec 28, & 1/2 of sec 29, & 1/2 of sec 30, & 1/2 of sec 31, & 1/2 of sec 32, & 1/2 of sec 33, & 1/2 of sec 34, & 1/2 of sec 35, & 1/2 of sec 36, & 1/2 of sec 37, & 1/2 of sec 38, & 1/2 of sec 39, & 1/2 of sec 40, & 1/2 of sec 41, & 1/2 of sec 42, & 1/2 of sec 43, & 1/2 of sec 44, & 1/2 of sec 45, & 1/2 of sec 46, & 1/2 of sec 47, & 1/2 of sec 48, & 1/2 of sec 49, & 1/2 of sec 50, & 1/2 of sec 51, & 1/2 of sec 52, & 1/2 of sec 53, & 1/2 of sec 54, & 1/2 of sec 55, & 1/2 of sec 56, & 1/2 of sec 57, & 1/2 of sec 58, & 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LETTER FROM THE EASTERN COUNTRY

MR. HIBBARD WRITES OF THE SITUATION THERE.

ORDERED TO THE FIGHTING

Will Go to the Scene of War with the Y. M. C. A. Army Headquarters.

Just at the present time the eyes of the whole country are turned towards the far east and the struggle for supremacy between the Japs and Russians. Janesville is particularly interested in the struggle owing to the fact that Mrs. Susie Lowell Hibbard is living in Tokio and her husband is about to go to the front with the Y. M. C. A. army headquarters and she return to this country. This army Y. M. C. A. work is similar to the work accomplished by the Y. M. C. A. during the Spanish war when this organization established headquarters for the soldier boys near their camps and did everything possible for them in the way of furnishing reading matter and a place where they could go to write their letters and rest. Mr. Hibbard expects to be at the front for about a year and during his absence his wife and baby daughter will return to this country. In a letter from Mr. Hibbard on his future work and the conditions in Japan at the present he describes the scenes vividly. Portions of the letter follow:

"The war jags on. The loss of the Hattuse was a big blow to everyone and accompanied as it was by the news of the sinking of the Yoshino it was all the more startling. Often one of my student friends will say to me, 'My most intimate friend went down with the Hattuse.' My dearest friend was killed in the battle of the Yalu yesterday. It is always with a smile, but it cuts none the less deep for all that. The other day I heard them sing Kimigayo, the national air, at the association. A thousand people were in the hall. I had often heard it, and would not have said that it was impressive six months ago, but now the very memory of it brings tears to my eyes. If the Tear and his ministers could have heard that song as it was sung there, he would have understood, unless he is a fool, and there would have never been any war. People talk about the passionless oriental. He does not get into Japan, but if you make it a question of emotions controlled or released, the oriental is different matter. It does not look like the battle of the Yalu, but if the deed it will be such a cost of men and blood and treasure and honor that no victory could repay her."

"Jean and Esther are coming home, will probably sail the last of June. I am going into the army work and it is useless for them to stay here in Tokio. My going has only been considered during the last month. It was thought that it would only be open for experienced missionaries to go in limited numbers as 'missionary' or 'comparators'; but recently the opportunity has opened up for establishing tent work such as has been carried on in our own army. With that it became imperative to send one of our own number. Fisher has already returned to America. Holm has the entire responsibility of the national work. Syd has been forced by the situation to take up more active work in Kyoto than I have undertaken here and has not been able to make the language preparation that I have. It is thus held by the work which is under way in Kyoto and deterred by lack of language preparation. It then was narrowed down to Gleason and I. George has large enterprises on in Osaka. Ann has just returned (yesterday) from America, and his health is always delicate at the best. I have undertaken no work which will suffer by my leaving."

"We shall probably begin work at Chusanpo and may shift from time to time following the points of great advantage. There will be no personal danger in the ordinary course of things, though there may be a certain amount of hardship. I look at it in this way: If the Japanese are ready to press to the very front and facing every privation, to offer themselves freely for their country's sake, and if the war correspondents are eating their hearts out to get to the front in order that they may satisfy their consuming curiosity of the world, then why should I not be willing to make a less sacrifice for the kingdom of which I claim citizenship?"

BRIEF NOTES ABOUT TOWN

Circus Vans in Fond du Lac: The same kind of damage that was done to the Janesville pavement at the corner of Main and Milwaukee streets by the heavy circus vans was done to the Fond du Lac pavements when Klingling Bros. were there.

Going Thursday: Members of O. E. S. going to Hanover Thursday can leave via C. & N. W. at 11 o'clock a. m. or via C. M. & St. P. at 10:35. Those going by wagonette will meet at Masonic hall at 8 a. m. sharp.

Amends Articles: An amendment of the articles of incorporation of the Rock County Mineral Water Co. permitting an increase of the number of directors from three to five has been filed with the register of deeds.

Thursday Evening: The Thursday evening meeting at the Congregational church will be a fellowship meeting of unusual interest. A brief informal program will be given and the rest of the hour given to fellowship.

Don Is There: Don Farnsworth of Janesville, president of the Janesville Manufacturers' club and treasurer of the Wisconsin Mercantile and Industrial association, was at the Pfister last night. "We have extended the mercantile and industrial association to many cities in the state within the past few months, and the organization is booming."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

On a Bike Trip: Physical Director Ward of the Y. M. C. A. accompanied by Wallace Mills and Sterling Campbell left at four o'clock this morning on a bicycle trip to Phantom lake to attend a state conference of the boys of the Y. M. C. A.

FUTURE EVENTS

Regular mid-week service at First Church of Christ Scientist this evening.

Benefit dance for the Janesville baseball team at Assembly hall, Wednesday evening, June 29.

Big celebration in Janesville on Monday, July 4. Industrial parade at 10 a. m., Nonesuch Bros.' mammoth circus parade at 2 p. m. Chicago Gathers vs. Clinton Maroons at Athletic park at 3 p. m. Launch regatta on river at 5:30 p. m. Vandeville on streets all day. General illumination at night.

THE WEATHER

Temperature last 24 hours taken from U. S. registered thermometer at Westminster's drugstore: highest, 72 above; lowest, 6 above; ther, at 7 a. m., 66; at 3 p. m., 78; wind, northwest; clouds and sunshine.

LODGE MEETINGS TONIGHT.

Wisconsin Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., at East Side Odd Fellows' hall.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Baseball dance tonight. Flowers for sale at 105 Cornelia St. Wall-paper at Coleman's, N. Main St. Special sale of muslin underwear at Archie Reid & Co.

Baseball dance tonight. Come and see how much you can save at Archie Reid & Co.'s underwear sale.

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Baseball dance tonight at Assembly hall; Smith & Kniff's orchestra. Buy corsets, gloves and hosiery at our removal sale, and save money. T. P. Burns.

A large number of people are taking advantage of our removal sale prices on shirt waists and shirt waists suits. T. P. Burns.

If in need of anything in the line of summer underwear, take advantage of our clearing sale prices. T. P. Burns.

All members of the Fraternal Order of Eagles are earnestly requested to be present at a meeting to be held Wednesday evening at Foresters' hall. Several candidates will be initiated into the order after which a social session will be held. Per order W. P.

The Nightingale quartette will entertain the people at Crystal Springs park next Sunday, with both vocal and instrumental music. Boat leaves at 10:00 a. m. and hourly during the afternoon.

Firecrackers, roman candles, torpedoes, trigger chasers, sky-rockets, balloons, and a full line of fireworks for the 4th. Savings Store, next to Skelly & Wilbur's.

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The Johnsons, clairvoyant and trans mediums; readings genuine and reliable on all affairs of life. Parlors, 61 W. Milwaukee St.

M. J. Flynn, general foreman of the Wisconsin division of the North-Western railroad, was in the city today on business connected with the spur to the beet sugar factory.

Over Seventy Couples Made Marry Far into the Morning at the Country Club Grounds.

Enveloped in the ghostly light of the full moon that hung low in the skies just above the giant windmill, commonplace objects lost their customary outlines and assumed new aspects—vague, dream-like and fanciful—at the grounds of the country club last evening. That was the way it affected some. For others, however, the leap year dance given in the spacious clubhouse was a very business-like proceeding. The man had been brought there to be flattered with attentions or snubbed in payment of old scores and he was not to be allowed to dodge the issue by escaping to the cellar or the green hills.

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IS PROMINENT IN GOTHAM SOCIETY

Mrs. Geo. C. Crollus, nee Mary Holteran, Was One of Hostesses at Reception for Gov. Odell at St. Louis

Among the prominent society people mentioned as being present at the elaborate reception given for Governor Odell and his wife at the beautiful headquarters of the Empire state in St. Louis Saturday appears the name of Mrs. George C. Crollus, hostess of the New York City building. Mrs. Crollus was formerly Miss Mary Holteran of Janesville and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Holteran who reside on Hickory boulevard. Her husband is a prominent board of trade man and is high in the councils of Tammany hall in New York city. He is a brother of Mayor Crollus of Joliet who was prominently mentioned for governor in the recent campaign, and at one time conducted a branch office of the board of trade firms in Janesville. Mrs. Crollus is given prominent mention in the account of the reception appearing in the St. Louis Democrat of Sunday. Her costume was of black jetted net over white silk.

WERE MARRIED AT CHICAGO TODAY

John Birmingham and Miss Margaret Lillian Finn Wedded This Morning.

This morning in Chicago a wedding which John Birmingham, a former Bower city resident and Miss Margaret Lillian Finn, of Chicago were made man and wife. Mr. Birmingham is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Birmingham, of this city, and is at present employed as engineer at the Art Institute in Chicago. His bride is one of the estimable young ladies of the Windy city. They will go to homekeeping at 39 Mayfair avenue, Chicago. Their many friends in the city wish them years of happiness and prosperity.

ENTERTAINED BY MRS. A. C. JENKINS

Philomathian Club Spent Pleasant Afternoon at a Lawn Social Given by the Hostess.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. A. C. Jenkins entertained the members of the Philomathian club at the home of Mrs. F. C. Jenkins, 201 Milton avenue. The afternoon was spent in games and various amusements, after which refreshments of the most inviting nature was served to the guests. The entertainment was in the nature of a lawn social and the members present voted Mrs. Jenkins one of the most hospitable entertainers. Several outings are to be participated in by the club the present season.

Five crackers, roman candles, torpedoes, trigger chasers, sky-rockets, balloons, and a full line of fireworks for the 4th. Savings Store, next to Skelly & Wilbur's.

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CIRCUS TALK BY COL. NONE SUCH

Great White Siam Elephant—Old Song About the Famous Van Amberg.

He goes with all the shows; ; Sticks his head in the lion's mouth And tells you all he knows.

"The elephant goes round and round The band begins to play The boys around that monkey cage Had better keep away."

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SMALL BOY HAS SERIOUS INJURY

Seyen-Year-Old Son of Mrs. Griffin Breaks His Arm This Afternoon.

This afternoon while playing ball at the corner of Emmett and Gold streets the little eleven-year-old son of Mrs. McGillin, fell and broke his right arm, between the elbow and wrist. Dr. Pember was called and set the break.

NEWS OF A PERSONAL NATURE

D. K. Jeffris arrived home from Chicago last evening.

Charles B. Conrad transacted business at Milton Junction today.

Postoffice Inspector, F. J. Mayher was in the city on business today.

Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Lauder, Malcolm R. and Kenneth Jeffris are home from the exposition.

A. W. Fuller leaves today for a visit with relatives and friends in Payallup, Washington.

D. D. Mayne, formerly superintendent of the city's schools was in the city greeting old friends.

H. E. McMillan of Minneapolis is a guest at the home of Mrs. O. L. Richards, 51 Palm street.

Mrs. James McGillin of Chicago is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Donnelly; at the new Myers hotel.

Francis C. Marble, foreman of the Eau Claire Daily Telegram's mechanical department, was in the city today.

Mrs. Thomas Jeffris and children, Bruce and Ruth, and Mrs. Rowley have returned from the St. Louis fair.

Mrs. James Earle and son spent Tuesday at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Barker at Lake Koshkonong.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Justinger arrived in the city this morning and will take up their residence on Terrace street.

Clarence Kimball, a former well known Bower city resident, but now located at Beloit spent yesterday in the city with old friends.

Daughter Born: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Oestreich rejoice in the safe arrival of a daughter this afternoon.

Special Bargains in Men's Working Shirts at 15c.

Men's Shirts at 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c. Men's Fancy Shirts, Collars and Cuffs, 40c.

Men's Underwear, Balbriggan, 25c. Men's Hose at 5c, 6 for 25c, Gray; 10c, 3 for 25c, Blk.; 15c, 2 for 25c, Blk.

Men's Red and Blue Large Hdkf., 5c. Men's Heavy Weight Suspender, 25c.

Ladies' Muslin Underwear, All Kinds at Big Bargains.

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A SOLDIER OF COMMERCE

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CHAPTER XII.

THE SEARCH FOR THE FUGITIVES—THE HAYBOAT STARTS.

CHARUKA of Ashkar pretended to be wakened from a deep slumber as four soldiers, led by a subordinate officer, came rushing down the wharf.

"Ho, there, on board this hayboat!" shouted the officer.

"Masters, I am here," said Charuka, rubbing his eyes and blinking in the light of the lanterns they carried. "What has happened?"

"A prisoner of the czar has escaped! Assisted by a woman who is a traitor, he has escaped from the prison at Tiflis tonight and must be, with his companion, somewhere in the city."

"Well, am I the prisoner?"

"No, you pig."

"Am I, then, the woman?"

"Curses upon you!"

"Why am I awakened with these shouts? I am a peaceful man from Ashkar, trying to sell my hay."

"Oh, your hay!" shouted one of the soldiers, with a laugh. "With the business of finding a prisoner of state on our minds, we must think of your hay?"

"As he spoke he thrust his bayonet deep into the hay."

"By the gods," exclaimed another, "that is an ideal! This man is from Astrakhan and would no doubt assist the American to escape."

"Shut your mouth, fool!" said the officer. "There is no American. It was a Russian who escaped."

"Pardon! I forgot. But the Astrakhan do not love the czar."

"How much you love the czar?" replied Charuka. "It is fear, not loyalty, that makes you curse me and stab my hay."

"By heaven, we will stab you! What did you come to Tiflis for?"

"To sell my hay. It has been purchased, but not yet paid for."

"Insolent pig! And do you think we want hay from you?"

"It is for beasts of a higher class I keep my hay," said Charuka calmly. A volley of curses answered him and a bayonet pricked his leg.

"Charke the hay!" said the officer. "They may be hiding in it."

"Burn the hay!" laughed a soldier. "That will settle it."

"Burn it if you dare! I have something in my pocket."

"A pistol, which you would use on the soldiers of the czar?"

"No, a passport to safety signed by the governor."

"Do not burn his hay!" shouted the officer as one of the soldiers made a light by twisting a wisp of the hay into the flame of the lantern. "We are after prisoners. We do not wish to run against the passport."

The soldiers were crawling over the hay, jamming their bayonets deep into it. The officer was slashing it with his saber.

"Dogs of Muscovites! When I get my money, I will not stay in this place!"

"What is that?" demanded the officer, turning on Charuka. "You call us dogs—what are your masters?"

"You should tell the mollah that. He would be pleased."

"Are you a follower of the mollah?"

"Who else? It is so written. Charke of Ashkar was never false to the faith."

"Then leave Tiflis. The governor's passport will save you from harm, but in the name of the czar I command you to depart at once. There will then be no chance of your doing mischief. We know the fugitives are not with you now. But if they came you would give them shelter."

"I say truly I would do so if they came."

"Loosen your boat from its moorings and take yourself to the Caspian."

"But my hay is already sold."

"It is robbing no one. There is plenty of hay, and you say the payment has not been made. Go, or I will forget the passport."

With assumed reluctance Charuka went to the door of his box, into which two soldiers had gone to investigate, and came out with two sleepy Astrakhan.

"Behold the loving acts of the czar, our master," said Charuka to his men. "We have sold our hay, but before payment is made we are commanded to go to the Caspian."

"It will destroy the hay. There will be no profit from the fair," said one.

"Profits! You want profits from a fair and yet follow the mollah against the czar?" returned one of the soldiers. Charuka made a sign. The men at once began releasing the boat, amid the shouts and cries of soldiers and disturbed boatmen all along the river. Hundreds of soldiers docked along the wharves, invaded boats, routing out men and women that they might inspect the most secret places.

Charuka, grumbling and with much make believe anger, slowly got under way. The soldiers laughed as the hayboat began slowly to descend the stream. The boat was a most crude affair. Its only means of propulsion was a great lantern sail, useless on this quiet night. So the men resorted to long poles, and the big boat crawled along the bank.

The search throughout Tiflis went on. Generals and colonels, many of them informed for the first time that the abductor of Koura Martelski was an American, joined in the hunt. Off-

cers in the brilliant uniforms they had worn at the ball rushed with those in working garb and searched bazaars, coffee houses and churches. There was not a square foot of ground in Tiflis that was not searched nor a building that was not entered.

Mystified, baffled and enraged, Jurdeff raved and cursed as he paced the prison corridor. But while he raved, and soldiers searched, Charuka and his boat continued slowly down the river. By daylight Charuka had made twenty miles and tied up at the rotting wharf of a small town. Leaving his men in charge, he went ashore to buy food. He returned with a sufficient supply for the day, and the boat went on. A little steam launch containing soldiers came pulling up behind him.

"Who are you?" demanded the officer. "Why do you leave Tiflis with a load of hay? The markets are there."

"There are no markets for me," said Charuka, with a sad wail. "Many days

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have I spent on the journey. Many nights I lay and thought of my profits. At last, when I reached Tiflis, there came a merchant who owned five camels. He purchased the hay and promised to come and take it away and pay me for it. But, alas, the soldiers of the czar came in the night and drove me away! I am Charuka of Ashkar. They said that because I follow the mollah I am not fit to sell hay to camels."

"Enjoy yourself, fanatie. Go ask the mollah to buy your hay. He has many camels."

"Aye, and men and guns," muttered Charuka as the launch sped on.

"Have you seen two escaped prisoners?" came back a voice.

"I have seen many men. No one informed me he was an escaped prisoner."

"One was a woman."

"Then let a woman hunt. It is the only way."

A curse for his insolence came floating back. The launch continued down the river.

In the little box of a house Charuka prepared a meal. Before he or his men partook of anything he called to the refugees.

"It is safe," he said. "The launch is out of sight, and we are passing swamp lands where there are no villages or farms. We shall meet no one. Come from under and eat. It may be some time before you reach a place of safety."

Harvey was the first to appear, and then the shining boots of Anna came wriggling from under the hay. They looked into each other's eyes and laughed. It was so good to be free. They went into the little house and ate the meal Charuka had prepared.

"Charuka, you have done well," said Anna. "I took the precaution to bring my purse. In it you will find enough to pay you—for your hay."

Charuka took the purse and opened it. The shining gold brought a gleam to his eyes.

"Let them ask again," he said. "You have kept your word with Charuka. No Muscovite dog shall take you from this boat while I am alive."

"Good Charuka!" said Anna. "It is so good to find a faithful friend."

[To be Continued.]

JANESVILLE MARKET REPORT

Quotations on Grain and Produce Reported for the Gazette.

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WHEAT—No. 1, \$1.35 to \$1.40; No. 2, \$1.30 to \$1.35; No. 3, \$1.25 to \$1.30.

BARLEY—Extra, \$2.00; No. 1, \$1.90; No. 2, \$1.80; No. 3, \$1.70.

RYE—No. 1, \$1.20; No. 2, \$1.10; No. 3, \$1.00.

COAL—No. 1, \$1.20; No. 2, \$1.10; No. 3, \$1.00.

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Janesville Daily Gazette, Wednesday, June 29, 1864.—Also in the Price of Bread.—Owing to the great advance in the price of flour, the bakers in this city have been compelled to raise the price of bread to 10 and 15 cents a loaf.

To the Friends of the 12th Wisconsin Battery.—The box shipped to the members of the 12th battery, has been received by them all safe and sound, and with many thanks for their friends at home.

Fire in La Prairie.—A barn belonging to Messrs. Orent & Clark, of this city, situated in the town of La Prairie, was burned on the night of the 27th. Loss about \$500. No insurance.

Catholic Festival.—It is well known that the new Catholic church in this city is fast approaching completion, and the society for whom it is building are making energetic efforts to prosecute the work. They propose to hold a festival at the Hyatt House hall on the Fourth of July to aid

them in the desirable work of completing their house of worship. It will be largely attended.

A Glorious Rain.—Our city, and we presume, pretty much the entire country, was visited this noon by a penetrating and refreshing shower, which in its effects will be worth a mint of money. Many a heart unaccustomed to thinking the giver of every good and perfect gift, for the manifold blessing of life, sent an aspiration of gratitude heavenward, we have no doubt, at the sight of this welcome rain.

Corn Drink.—A Yankee girl sends us the following: To five gallons of cold water add one quart of sound corn and two quarts of molasses. Put all into a keg—shake well and in two or three days it will be fit to use. Boiled tight. It may be flavored with essence of spruce or lemon. The corn will last to make five or six gallons. If it becomes sour add more molasses and water. It is a cheap and simple beer and it is called very good.



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Officers Shoot Pickets. Houghton, Mich., June 29.—Three Finnish strikers who tried to prevent strike-breakers from going to work at the Atlantic mine were shot by officers on guard. None of the men was fatally hurt.

Woman Leads Caravan. London, June 29.—Mrs. W. N. MacMillan of St. Louis has reached London after traversing Abyssinia at the head of her own caravan.

Death of a Violinist. New York, June 29.—M. T. Ronch, a violin virtuoso, died of a heart ailment induced by playing his instrument.

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PRACTICAL JOKE JUST MISSES BEING TRAGEDY

Clever Horsemanship of J. J. Hill's Son Saves Him From Being Numbered With the Idiots.

St. Paul, Minn., June 27.—(Walter Hill, youngest son of James J. Hill, jeopardized the lives of Walter L. Lindeke and his bride of half an hour while playing a practical joke that resulted in a wild runaway. Only the excellent horsemanship of the Great Northern railway magnate's son prevented a serious accident.

Young Hill persuaded the coachman who was to have driven the bridal party to the depot to allow him to act in his stead. Planning to take the couple on a long drive and bring them back to the home of the bride, Miss Ethel Xanten, he had scarcely mounted the box when one of the horses ran away. The team headed for the bluff along the river bank, but Hill managed to turn the horses into an alley and ran them into a fence. The young bridegroom and his bride were badly shaken up, but able to start on an eastern journey.

RESULTS OF BASEBALL GAMES

National League. Chicago, 5; Pittsburgh, 3. Cincinnati, 3; St. Louis, 2. New York, 9; Philadelphia, 6. Brooklyn, 1; Boston, 0. American League. Detroit, 3; Chicago, 4. Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 1. St. Louis, 0; Cleveland, 4. Boston, 5; New York, 2. American Association. Indianapolis, 10; Toledo, 6. Minneapolis, 4; Kansas City, 1. St. Paul, 6; Milwaukee, 6. Columbus, 2; Louisville, 1. Western League. Omaha, 12; Colorado Springs, 8. St. Joseph, 0; Denver, 1 (Winnipeg). Sioux City, 2; Des Moines, 3. Three-Eye League. Cedar Rapids, 4; Rockford, 0. Dubuque, 10; Davenport, 4. Des Moines, 2; Springfield, 1. Bloomington, 3; Rock Island, 11. Central League. Wheeling, 0; Fort Wayne, 1. Terre Haute, 2; South Bend, 1. Grand Rapids, 3; Evansville, 1. Southern League. Atlanta, 3; Nashville, 5 (ten innings). Montgomery, 4; Birmingham, 1.

FORMER BANKER IS ARRESTED

C. H. Carleton, of Cleveland Charged With Using Mails to Defraud. San Francisco, Cal., June 29.—C. H. Carleton, formerly a banker, broker and real estate dealer of Cleveland, who is accused of using the mails for fraudulent purposes, is in the custody of the United States marshal here pending the arrival of an extradition order. He was arrested at Monterrey, Sonoma county.

Returns Thanks to France. Paris, June 29.—Ambassador Porter has transmitted to Foreign Minister Delcasse an expression of the American government's appreciation of and thanks for the good offices of France in behalf of Mr. Perdicaris.

Panama Canal Sale. Paris, June 29.—It is stated here that Bunau Varilla was given \$100,000 as a commission for negotiating the Panama canal sale. The latter always claimed to have worked only from patriotic motives.

More Miners Are Reported. Victor, Colo., June 29.—The fourth—and Gen. Bell says the last—deportation of union miners from this city was made Tuesday night. There were thirty-four, making a grand total of 181 to date.

Explosion on Warship. San Francisco, June 29.—The steamer Mariposa, which came from Tahiti, brought a story of a boiler explosion on the French cruiser Durance, resulting in the death of fifteen men.

Promotion for Railroad Man. San Francisco, Cal., June 29.—C. H. Markham of San Francisco has been promoted, and becomes vice-president of the Southern Pacific Railroad company.

King Victor Emmanuel is well versed in the current literature of the day.

JURY VALUES LEGS AT \$20,000

Wisconsin Man Gets Big Verdict for Losing Limbs in Accident.

Superior, Wis., June 29.—The largest personal verdict ever secured at the head of the lakes was that obtained in the federal court by Dell See, who was awarded \$20,000 against the Brown-Holst company of Cleveland. He sued for \$50,000. He was working on a coal dock where the company was installing machinery for unloading boats and was caught in a clamshell bucket and lost both legs below the hips. He gets around now by riding on a cart which he pushes with spiked sticks. The jury was out but a few hours.

PRAYERS FAIL TO SAVE THE COW

Dowle's Elders Notified of Death and Intercession Suspended.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., June 29.—The cow for whose recovery from sickness Alvin Shaw, a farmer, has been praying is dead. Shaw has maintained that the cow could be cured through prayer. He had telephoned to Dowle elders in Zion City to secure divine intercession, but has sent this message to Zion City: "Stop praying; she is dead."

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COUNTY NEWS

ROCK.

Rock, June 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Milton Junction, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Everett Patterson, last week.

Maurice Reed and sons have been setting tobacco for Messrs. Porsch and Tolles.

W. M. Tolles and daughter Amelia came down last week for the big show, Miss Amelia remaining until Sunday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Mikkelsen and baby boy were guests at the parental home Sunday.

Sugar beets are quite the style at present. For the past three weeks they have been demanding the growers' attention getting the plants "bunched" and "thinned." To the uninitiated it is quite a study from the time the seed is planted until the crop is ready to be hauled away to the factory. There has been so little rain and the ground is so dry that some good showers now would help the plants amazingly. Many claim that the beet culture is a "fad" that will soon be dropped and the farmers will again turn their undivided attention to tobacco raising. Be that as it may, it is an established fact that the small boys from town are earning their spending money—now—that school is over—at work bunching and thinning the beets. And it is really surprising how quickly and thoroughly the little shavers work and what clever financiers they are. Bright and early every morning they are at Walter Helm's store with their dinner pails, ready for work and waiting for some farmer to come who is looking for just such workers. Monday morning a "gang" of eleven boys began work. In a three-acre beet field belonging to Burr W. Tolles and by 3:30 p. m. the beets were thinned and the lads gone.

Last Thursday Mrs. Patterson went to Madison to see her daughter, Mary, who is ill in the sanitarium there.

Mrs. Bingham and granddaughter Ruth of Beloit, are guests at the home of Nelson Mikkelsen.

The Misses Laura Clark, Josie Dooley and Grace Conroy spent Friday with Misses Amelia Tolles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burr Tolles.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Robinson and little daughter of East Union, Mr. Pliny Tolles and Miss Blanche Morrison, and Mr. M. J. Conroy, of Janesville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Burr W. Tolles Sunday.

EVANSVILLE.

Evansville, June 26.—Miss Edna Rielly is camping at Lake Waubesa with a party of young people from Beloit.

Pauline Pullen and Madeline Antles will take their departure Tuesday morning for Des Moines, Ia., where they will visit relatives.

Miss Grace Ladd, of Janesville, visited over Sunday with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Ed. Smith spent Friday and Saturday at Kegonsa, the guest of Mrs. Geo. Pullen.

Mrs. Ann Faulke is spending the week with relatives at Brooklyn.

Mrs. Harry Bonney and daughters came up from Beloit Saturday evening to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Albert Dixon entertained friends last Tuesday evening.

James Gilles visited W. J. Jones at Emerald Grove last week.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Porter last Thursday.

An excursion party consisting of Cora Morgan, Lizzie Gilles, Nettie Dann, Ethel Frost and Blanche Crow will leave soon after the Fourth for a trip through Colorado.

Grace Carpenter has returned from Bayfield where she has been teaching a kindergarten.

Mrs. Leo Bevier, of Beloit, is visiting relatives here and will remain until after the Fourth.

Mrs. William Austin, who has been quite sick, is slowly improving.

Word has been received here that Jay Gould, who formerly visited at the home of Mr. Will Stevens, is very ill at his home in Iowa with typhoid fever.

Miss Lucy Little is home from Whitewater normal where she graduated last Wednesday.

Mrs. George Reed spent Sunday with her son Dwight at Edgerton.

Next, Wilder, who has been doctoring in Missouri for some time, returned last week feeling somewhat improved.

Miss Mae Webb who recently graduated at Milwaukee normal, has been engaged as kindergarten teacher in Milton for next year.

Mrs. E. E. Hartley left Tuesday morning for La Grange, Ill., where she will visit her daughter several weeks.

Bernice Gray is camping a few days with Bessie Stevens at Madison.

ALBION.

Albion, June 27.—Mr. Lee Coon and wife went to Fond du Lac Friday.

Clarence Osborne is painting for Mr. Coffman in Edgerton.

Miss Cora Drake visited her uncle in Ft. Atkinson last week.

Dr. Louie Reed, of Madison, gave the parental home a call Sunday.

Wallace Tyler visited friends in Milton Junction Monday evening.

Mr. Lester and wife, Mark Head and wife, went to Ft. Atkinson Friday.

Mr. Delos Crandall and wife, of Niles, N. Y., visited with Mrs. Eliza Crandall, Thursday.

Mr. Louie Tyler and lady took a pleasure trip to Stoughton Sunday.

Miss Katherine Head, of Madison, and her friend, is visiting her grandparents.

Rev. I. L. Cottrell, of Leonardville, N. Y., reached in the S. D. B. church last Sabbath.

Dr. Croley and family visited with friends in Milton Junction Saturday.

Mr. Joe Nobles and wife of Cambridge, visited with Jim Noble's folks Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Head returned from her Minnesota trip last Thursday.

Mr. J. R. Humann, of Whitewater, was in town Friday, tuning the pianos.

Cornelius Wilber and Verne Prescott, of Cambridge, was in town Wednesday afternoon.

Eld. T. J. Van Horn went to Milton Junction Friday afternoon, to deliver a sermon before the Christian association.

Mr. John O'Connor went to Milton Junction Sunday morning to visit with friends.

Eld. Will Burdick, of Niles, N. Y., will preach in the S. D. B. church next Sabbath.

Peter J. Olsen, of Cambridge, was in town Friday afternoon, distributing notices of the grand celebration that will be held in Cambridge the 4th of July.

The Home Benefit Society and Albion band gave an ice cream social on the church lawn Saturday evening, proceeds \$11 dollars.

The Ladies' Missionary and Benevolent society met with Mrs. Eld. Van Horn, Wednesday afternoon. There was a good attendance, over three dollars was taken in.

The pink tea party given Thursday afternoon by May and Sadie Palmer in honor of their mother will long be remembered by the participants. The invited guests were Mrs. Eliza Crandall, Mrs. Wescott, Mrs. Sarah Lilly, Mrs. Mills, Mrs. Jonathan Palmer, Mrs. Myra Collins and Nella Williams.

After a very short illness, Cora Belle Cook closed here eyes in death, Tuesday morning, June 21. Three brothers and a sister were waiting to welcome her on the other shore. A loving father, mother, three brothers and three sisters are left to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. A. W. Stephens. Interment in the Fasset cemetery, in Edgerton.

FAIRFIELD.

Fairfield, June 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Bumgarner and children spent Thursday in Janesville.

Mrs. Geo. Crowner is entertaining several guests from Chicago.

Grove Wetmore and daughter, or Johnston, attended church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morris and children were Chicago shoppers Wednesday.

A. B. Johnson, of Milwaukee, spent Saturday and Sunday at James Cutters.

Clarence Beedell, of Chicago, has been visiting at Abner Chamberlain's the past week.

Will More shipped a carload of cattle from Avalon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chesbro, of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Chesbro, of Oscar Chesbro spent last Tuesday at Delavan Lake.

Miss Ruby Clowes entertained several young lady friends from Darlen last week.

Mrs. M. J. McCarthy delightfully entertained about fifty ladies of the Darlen and Fairfield industrial societies at her home Friday afternoon.

After a short program ice cream and cake was served on the lawn. Mrs. McCarthy is a new member of the L. I. S., but has proven herself a pleasant hostess.

Wm. Hokenbrodt is erecting a fine large barn on his farm east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Locke, of Janesville, were guests of their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Florin, several days last week.

Mrs. Dick Fletcher and youngest daughter returned to their home in Janesville Saturday.

Chester Dykeman returned last week from a two-week's visit with Williams Bay relatives.

The Delavan Lake Assembly programs are out and the attractions engaged promise a strong program.

Philip Wedge of Albert Lee, Minnesota, is spending some time at his uncle, Austin Clark.

H. Hammer, missionary, gave a very interesting lecture at the church Sunday evening on the people of Morocco and their customs.

Mr. Hammer was a very pleasant speaker and it is to be regretted that there was not a large audience to enjoy his talk.

Miss Jessie Bumgarner, who has been spending a few days with her uncle, Reuben Bumgarner and family, returned to her home in Janesville Sunday night.

Robert More drives a fine new surrey.

ROCK RIVER.

Rock River, June 25.—A large number from here attended the Ladies' Aid held with Mrs. Harry Swader, at Milton Junction. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent.

Several from here attended the circus at Janesville last Tuesday. All report a fine time.

M. A. Rose visited in Johnston one day last week.

Hazel Davis will go this week to South Dakota for a visit with her grandparents.

Merle Garthwait, of Milton Junction, visited friends here a part of last week.

The next meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held with Mrs. Elder Mills, Thursday afternoon, July 7.

Nearly 150 persons attended the C. E. social at Wm. Dodd's new barn last Wednesday evening.

Milton Junction, Johnston and Niles were represented. During the evening a program was given consisting of recitations by Alice Paul, Katie

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose From Grief. What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the mind of mental suffering for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its heart, that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the invention of restitutis the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles. Newbro's Herpicide absolutely destroys this germ, thus permitting the hair to grow as nature intended. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Vincent, Leora, Haskings, Anna Mortenson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rogers. Music was furnished by Charles Vincent, on piano, and Duet, Mr. and Mrs. Fay Coon, male quartette, Messrs. Rogers, Whitford, Van Horn and Mortenson; double quartette, Messrs. Rogers, Whitford, Van Horn, and Mortenson, and Mrs. Van Horn, Mignon Whitford, Jennie Rose, Anna Mortenson, Prof. Shaw, of Milton, formerly pastor of the Elvira church, was present and read the program and also gave a short talk. The rest of the evening was spent with gramophone music, supper and games. Messrs. Dodd and Rogers are to be congratulated for the pleasant way in which the guests were entertained.

Joseph Vincent has his home newly painted. John Crandall and men doing the work. They will paint N. M. Rose's house this week.

The election of officers in the C. E. society will be held next Sabbath afternoon. All invited to be present.

SOUTHWEST LIMA.

Southwest Lima, June 27.—The rain which fell last Monday was welcomed by all.

Hiram Dixon and Will Shennel delivered hogs to Clark Bros., of Milton Junction, during the past week.

Miss Hazel Kutz, of Whitewater, is visiting her cousin, Bessie Hunt.

The outlook for the best crop in this vicinity is promising at present.

Jno. Lackner delivered a load of hay to Gray Brothers, at Milton Junction Monday.

Frank and Charles Branks, of Whitewater, were callers at Jno. Lackner's Thursday.

Those who attended the Ringling Bros. circus in Janesville last Tuesday were Hiram Dixon, Harvey and Archie Kyle, C. A. Hunt and son, Edith Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Lackner, Thos. Branks, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shemel and daughter, Chas. Hackberth and children.

Mr. Maxon, of Milton Jet, is doing the mason work for Will Westrick.

Little Charlie Hackberth visited with friends in Janesville last week.

George and Frank Duckett, Mr. Jno. Dixon and daughters, Evelyn and Ethel, were callers at R. Dixon's Sunday.

Miss Bessie Hunt and brother Howard visited in Whitewater a few days the past week.

Mrs. Chas. Hackberth and Miss Edith Dixon were Janesville visitors Friday.

Thos. Branks and Will Westrick were visitors at Will McQuillen's Sunday.

The school picnic which was to take place last Friday proved a failure on account of the rain which fell just as the company was assembled on the grounds.

On account of the dry weather which has prevailed during the past two weeks the strawberry crop will be a partial failure.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dixon and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lackner, of Milton Junction, Mrs. Grabler and daughter, Walter and Alfred McComb, were callers at Jno. Lackner's Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Jas. Richmond was a caller on our streets recently.

Miron Cunningham has gone for a short pleasure trip in the northern part of the state.

EDGERTON.

Edgerton, June 27.—Miss Winnifred Coon visited her sister, Mrs. D. F. Heddles at Lake Kegonsa a part of the week.

Miss Lydia Jensen left for St. Paul the first of the week to attend the wedding of a friend.

Prof. Jack and family, of Sparta, are visitors at the home of Mrs. Jane Kelly.

Frank Hiltchenek has succeeded Will Short as shipping clerk for Wilson Bros.

W. R. Lideker left Wednesday for Spokane, Wash.

Miss Mary Mawhinney is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Gorham, of Genoa, Ill.

Mrs. P. E. Burgoyne, accompanied by her brother, Fred Knobel, of Madison, left the first of the week to spend the summer with their parents at West Butte, Mont.

Miss Edith Maltress was present at the Taylor-Palmer wedding in Janesville Wednesday evening.

About four hundred tickets were sold from this station Tuesday for Janesville for the circus.

J. C. Whittey attended the grain dealer's convention in Milwaukee the latter part of the week.

Miss Leah Clarke is a guest of friends in Warsaw, Ind.

Rev. J. Linnevold went to Orfordville Tuesday to attend the funeral of Rev. Wagsen, who has been pastor of the Norwegian church there for the past twenty-five years.

Mr. and Mrs. Roht, Attlessey and Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Wilson were guests at the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Gosselin and Wm. Moore, at Ft. Atkinson, Wednesday.

Fred Brown left Wednesday for a visit with Richard Center friends.

The Canadian Colored Concert company gave a very interesting program at Royal hall Saturday evening under the auspices of the men's club. They also assisted with a song service at the Congregational church Sunday evening.

Miss Cora Cook died at the home of her parents Tuesday morning, after a two-week's illness of spinal meningitis. The funeral was held from the home Wednesday. She leaves a father, a mother, three brothers and three sisters.

Mrs. Geo. Mansfield and two daughters of Johnson's Creek, were guests of Edgerton friends the latter part of the week.

Chas. Ratzlaff and Miss Annie Schmeling were married at the German Lutheran church Wednesday afternoon.

The first wedding in the new St. Joseph's church took place Tuesday when Miss Ida Murray became the wife of A. J. Nichols. A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents after the ceremony. The happy couple will make their home on the John Nichols farm in the town of Porter.

It would seem that the oracle pronounced Thursday last as a favored day for picnics and a program of three was carried out in this vicinity. Members of the M. E. Sunday school

and their friends went to Lake Koshkonong for the day. The German Lutheran congregation marched to Shoemaker's grove to the music of the cornet band where they made merry and the old settlers west of town held their annual.

NORTH HARMONY.

North Harmony, June 27.—Mr. Arthur and Miss Mary Carrier, of Janesville, spent Sunday at H. A. Betts.

The Harmony W. C. T. U. will hold an ice cream social at Elmer Bingham's Wednesday evening, July 6. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleland and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rice visited at C. A. Rice's Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. will hold their next meeting July 5 with Mrs. Wm. Cleland.

Pathmaster Robert Stewart has a gang of men at work on the road around the McNally pond and it will soon be open to the public.

Mrs. Grace Alderman is visiting her sister, Mrs. Julia Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. North visited at Edwin Martin's Saturday.

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Yellowstone Park via the Northern Pacific Railway.

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Whisky Kills Boy Babe.

La Porte, Ind., June 29.—Clarence Fryer, 3 years old, son of Robert Fryer of Springfield township, La Porte county, obtained a whisky flask and drank a full pint. He died twelve hours later of alcoholic poisoning.

Elopes With Indian.

Rushville, Ind., June 29.—After eloping with "Short Bull," an Indian baseball player, Miss Sylvia Prizer of this place was apprehended and returned to her home.

Yates Names Printer Expert.

Springfield, Ill., June 29.—Gov. Yates has announced the appointment of H. W. Jones of Ipaava as printer expert to succeed C. P. Burton of Aurora, resigned.

Fall From Wagon Is Fatal.

Fresno, Cal., June 29.—Charles A. Griffith, a retired merchant of Nebraska City, Neb., fell from a wagon and broke his neck. He was here for his health.

"Hoo Hoo" Are Energetic.

St. Louis, Mo., June 29.—Lightning work will be done on a new "Hoo-Hoo" lodge building at the world's fair, replacing the one destroyed by fire.

Girl Burns to Death.

Garden Road, N. Y., June 29.—Florence Nichols, aged 8 years, while putting wood in the stove ignited her dress and burned to death.

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After July 2nd the total number of votes earned by the cash paid in will be cut down to three votes for each cent.

Think of a Week At The World's Fair Without Cost, Loss or Worry!

List of Popular Men Who Have Received Votes For the Gazette's Free Week Trip to the St. Louis World's Fair.

H. L. Roberts,
E. J. Clifton,
Carl Palmer,
Simpson Lawson,
George Nicholson,
Frank Drew,
John Kobel,
George Ashley,
S. M. Fisher,

Otto Burnett,
Eugene Delisle,
W. A. Johnson,
Bert Sherwood,
J. C. Morris,
R. Feddersen,
Will Kimball,
Chas. Gibson,

John Kelly,
Berney Dunwiddie,
W. W. Taylor,
Wm. Brennan,
Henry Young,
Ray Lloyd,
C. P. Newton,
Jas. Angell.

CONDITIONS OF THE CONTEST

The popularity of the candidate is to be determined by the number of votes cast for him.

Regular Schedule--Both old and new subscribers who pay in advance and for all coupons will receive the same number of votes--that is for every cent paid in advance during this contest:

4 votes until midnight July 2nd.

3 votes until midnight July 30th.

2 votes until 10 p. m. August 31st.

1 vote for all coupons clipped from the Gazette and delivered at this office before 10 p. m. August 31st.

Premiums--In addition to the regular schedule, new subscriptions will secure premiums when paid in advance, as follows:

One month paid in advance, 100 votes.

Three months paid in advance, 400 votes.

Six months paid in advance, 1,000 votes.

THE CHICAGO MARKET REPORT

Interesting Gossip From the Closing Reports of the Windy City's Mart.

Wheat.—Buying of wheat today was of a much better sort than the selling. The southwest has reversed its former position and has shown its faith in its damage reports by buying freely. The scattered professional trade that sold wheat freely early in the day on the rains in Russia and Argentina have been covering since. Snow reported that wheat was over ripe through the Missouri valley but too wet to cut and much of it lodged and tangled. Predictions are for more rain tonight and tomorrow.

Corn.—The prominent feature of the corn pit was the strength of September and the weakness in July resulting in a widening of the spread to over 1c against 3/4 last night. Elevator people have been short of September against car lot holdings, have been covering it and putting out again for July now that the cash grain is being turned out so rapidly from cleaning and blending establishments.

Oats.—Trade was dull in oats futures but the market was firm despite the weakness in car lots, these were off 1/2 to 1c.

Provisions.—There was considerable July liquidation and a great deal transferring from July to September. There was a widening of the spread in ribs and no change in lard or pork. Western receipts of hogs were 79,600 today against 87,000 week ago and 69,000 year ago.

THE HADDEN-RODGE CO.

SLOCUM HORROR BLAME IS FIXED

DECLARE MATE IS A COWARD

United States Inspector is Scored and Held to the Grand Jury for Negligence in Performing His Duty—Captain is Criminally Responsible.

New York, June 29.—As a result of the finding of the coroner's jury in the Slocum horror inquest warrants have been issued for the arrest of the directors and other officials of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company, owners of the General Slocum, charging them with criminal responsibility for the deaths of the 1,000 or more men, women and children who perished in the recent frightful disaster. Manslaughter is the charge they will have to face.

The directors of the company are: Frank A. Barnaby, president; Charles E. Hill, vice president; James K. Atkinson, secretary, and C. DeLacey Evans, Robert K. Story, Floyd S. Corbin and Frank G. Dexter.

In addition to these, warrants will probably be issued for Captain W. H. Van Schalk, master of the burned vessel, and Captain John A. Pease of the Grand Republic, commodore of the Knickerbocker company.

Inspector Henry Lundberg and Mate Edward Flannagan, both scored by the jury, have been arrested and held in \$1,000 bonds each.

Directors Violate Law.

The jury found that the directors and other officers of the Knickerbocker company were guilty of gross negligence and violation of law in the matter of the equipment and manning of the vessel, and held that the immense loss of life was due to this negligence, and ignoring of provisions of the law relative to safeguards in such an emergency.

Captain Van Schalk and Captain Pease were also held criminally responsible by the jury for the condition of the boat's fire-fighting and life-saving equipment.

Mate Flannagan of the Slocum, according to the jury, acted in a cowardly manner, and the misconduct of Steamboat Inspector Lundberg, it was recommended, should be brought to the attention of the Federal authorities.

The case was submitted to the jury at 4:55 and the verdict was reached.

Verdict of the Jury.

"That the president, Frank A. Barnaby; the secretary, James K. Atkinson, and the board of directors of the Knickerbocker Steamboat company, namely, Frank A. Barnaby, Charles E. Hill, James K. Atkinson, C. DeLacey Evans, Robert K. Story, Floyd S. Corbin and Frank G. Dexter, were guilty

of criminal negligence in the failure to see to the proper equipment of the General Slocum in the matter of the fire fighting and life saving appliances on board said boat.

"That the captain, William H. Van Schalk, be held criminally responsible for the accident.

"That Capt. John A. Pease, the acknowledged commodore of the fleet, be held criminally responsible for his failure to properly equip the General Slocum with fire fighting and life saving appliances.

"That Edward Flannagan, the mate, acted in a cowardly manner, and we

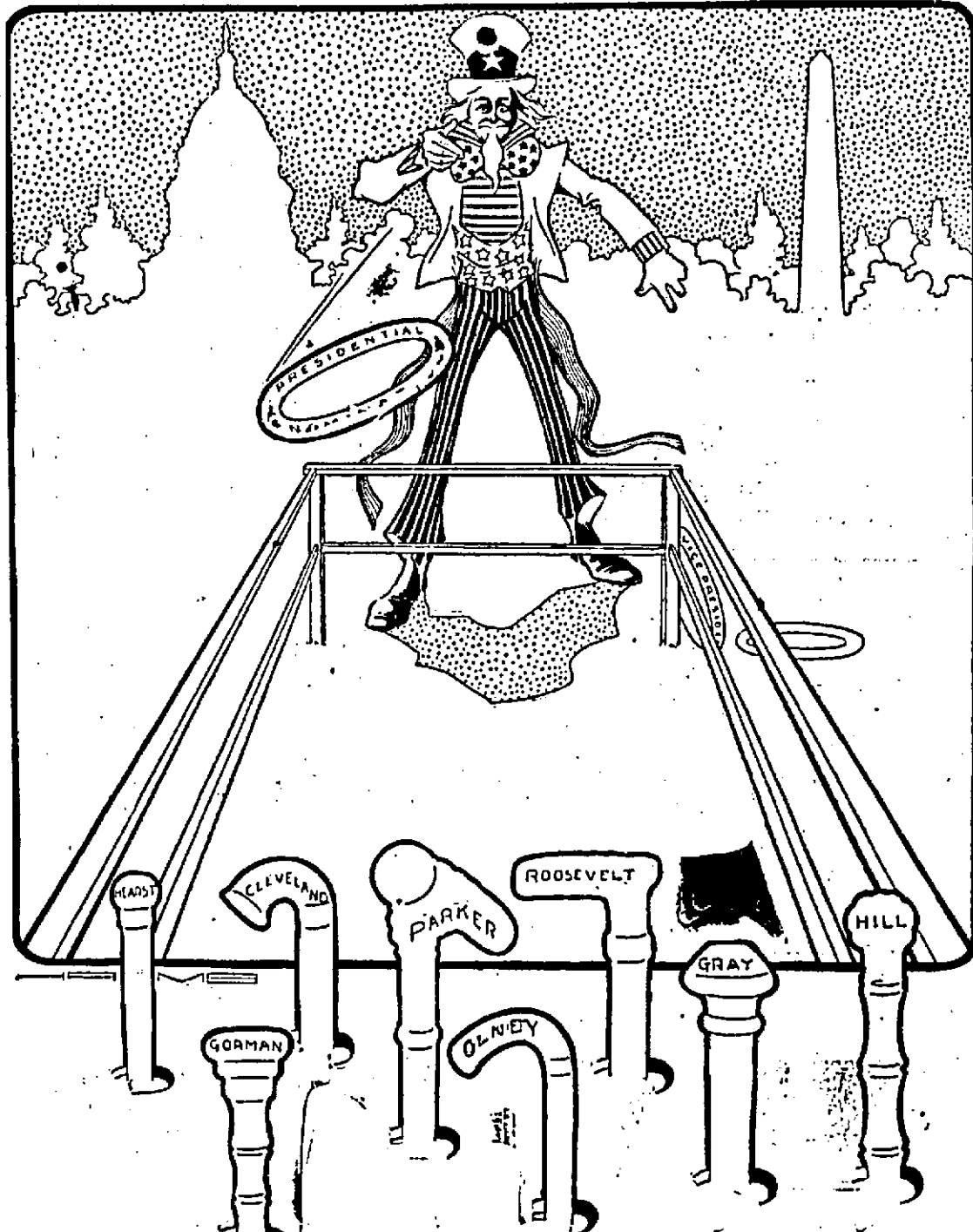
recommend that he be held criminally responsible for failure to perform his duty on the General Slocum on the day of the disaster.

Scores the Inspector.

"That in the opinion of this jury the misconduct of Henry Lundberg, the government inspector, in failing to report to his superiors the true facts concerning the vessel's fire extinguishing and life saving equipment, should be brought to the notice of the United States prosecuting officials,

Milwaukee Journal: The appointment of Paul Morton to the secretary-

ship of the navy carries with it a significance not to be slighted. Mr. Morton is the son of J. Sterling Morton, of Nebraska, who held a cabinet position under Cleveland. He represents the new elements coming to the front in republican affairs. He is also one of those who were lost to the democratic party in its eighty course eight years and more ago. The democratic party has many things to right up before it can recover lost ground; meanwhile under Roosevelt the republican party is picking up in advance the men and the ground which the democrats have lost or neglected.



THE POLITICAL CANE-BOARD. WHICH ONE WILL HE RING?

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5 Vehicle Bargains.

In order to close out our stock of the other fellow's make of vehicles, we offer the following until all are sold.

Leather Trimmed Concord . . . \$45.00

Same as dealers charge \$60 for.

Leather Quarter Top Buggy . . . 45.00

Same as dealers charge \$60 for.

Stick Seat Driving Wagon . . . 36.00

Same as dealers charge \$50 for.

Leather Quarter Extension Top Surrey 85.00

Same as dealers charge \$100 for.

Canopy Top Surrey, Seats Removable 60.00

Same as dealers charge \$75 for.

Come quick as stock will not last long at these prices.

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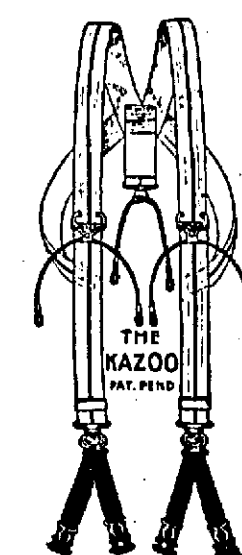
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Sizes run 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18.
They Adjust to Intermediate Sizes.



CHICAGO MARKETS

From the Hadden-Kennedy Co., 204 Jackson Block, Janesville, U. S. Yards Opening

G. Beardsell Resident Manager.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Sept.	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
Corn	47 1/2	47 3/4	47 1/2	47 1/2
Sept.	48 1/4	48 1/2	48 1/4	48 1/4
Oats	38 1/2	38 3/4	38 1/2	38 1/2
Sept.	31 1/2	32 1/2	31 1/2	32 1/2
Pork	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
Sept.	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
Lard	8 1/2	8 3/4	8 1/2	8 1/2
Sept.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 1/2
Rice	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 1/2
Sept.	7 1/2	7 3/4	7 1/2	7 1/2

CHICAGO CASH LOT RECEIPTS.

To-day. Contract. Exh. Tomorrow

	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Flour
Wheat	9	0	0	15
Corn	12	12	12	12
Oats	12	12	12	12
Flour	12	12	12	12

NORTH-WEST RECEIPTS (Wheat)

	Minneapolis	St. Paul	Chicago
Wheat	125	170	131
Sept.	24	61	42
Chicago	9	47	17

Live Stock Market RECEIPTS TODAY

	Hens.	Cattle	Sheep
Chicago	28,000	22,000	10,000
St. Paul	10,000	200	200
Omaha	500	200	200

U. S. Yards Open. U. S. Yards Close.

	Mixed	Good	Best
Mixed	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Good	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Best	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2

Sept. 25,000 left over 2500